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In re Application of :
Gery Bernard Marie Dambricourt :
Application No. 10/543,077 :
Filed: December 16, 2005 :
Attorney Docket No. 05-531 :

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed July 10, 2009, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

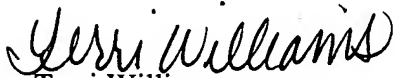
The application became abandoned for failure to timely reply within the meaning of 37 CFR 1.113 to the final Office action, mailed December 23, 2008, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. A (3) month extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) was obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on June 24, 2009.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of a Notice of Appeal and fee; (2) the petition fee of \$1,620; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay.

The two-month period for filing an appeal brief under 37 CFR 41.37 (accompanied by the fee required by 37 CFR 41.20(b)(2), runs from the date of this decision.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Terri Williams at (571) 272-2991.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 1794 for appropriate action on the concurrently filed Notice of Appeal.

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